

Report of David Thompson

Oct. 14, 1926.

Re: Choir Members:

Neville Pooley,
P.O. Box 1870,
Seattle, Washington.

Mr. Harold R. Fick this afternoon informed me that Mr. Pooley's first name was Neville and he understood that he was in California. However, that Pooley's father was in the Disability Claim Department of the Equitable Life Assurance Company at New York. I 'phoned his office but learned that he was doing jury duty and further that his full name was Cecil S. W. Pooley and that he resided in Brooklyn. I found in the 'phone book that he resides at 1317 Bedford Avenue - 'phone DECATUR 6217-J.

I talked with Mr. Pooley over the 'phone this evening and he gave me the address as above. He further informed me that his son lately was in an accident and sustained a fracture of the skull; that the doctors have advised him to keep quiet and not travel or do any brain work for about one year.

He then asked me who I was and when I told him a Mr. Thompson of New Brunswick, he replied that if I wanted any information in regard to Dr. Hall that all his son knew concerning the case was what he had told the investigators four years ago, namely, that four years ago he was in the hospital at New Brunswick suffering from a fractured leg; that toward evening on September 14th, 1922, Rev. Hall called to see him and when he was leaving he (Hall) looked at his watch and it was then 5.45 P.M.; that he is positive that the Rev. Hall had his watch at that time.

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